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SUBJECT: POLICY GUIDELINES TOWARD THAILAND

- 1. DEPT (S/P AND EA) HAS BEEN WORKING ON FORMULATION OF NEW POLICY GUIDELINES TOWARDS THAILAND WHICH WOULD REFLECT THE NEW ENVIRONMENT IN SOUTHEAST ASIA SINCE THE END OF THE INDOCHINA WAR. THE GUIDELINES ARE ALSO, IN PART, A RESPONSE TO THE RECOMMENDATION IN THE RECENT INSPECTION REPORT SUGGESTING A REVIEW OF THE U.S. SECURITY COMMITMENT TO THAILAND. THE GUIDELINES WILL SERVE AS AN UPDATED STATEMENT OF U.S. POLICY TOWARD THAILAND.
- 2. A COPY OF THE DRAFT POLICY GUIDELINES IS BEING POUCHED TO THE CHARGE. WE WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY COMMENTS BY SEPTEMBER 15. EA/TIMBS DIRECTOR FRITTS WILL ALSO BE PREPARED TO DISCUSS THE GUIDELINES DURING HIS VISIT TO BANGKOK SECRET

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